

PATTERSON, THUENTE, SKAAR & CHRISTENSEN, P.A.
 4800 IDS Center, 80 South Eighth Street
 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-2100 USA

OFFICIAL

RECEIVED
 CENTRAL FAX CENTER

AUG 05 2004

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

TELEPHONE: (612) 349-5740 TOLL FREE: 1-800 331-4537
 FACSIMILE: (612) 349-9266

TOTAL NUMBER OF PAGES BEING SENT (INCLUDING COVER SHEET): 15

[] Original documents to follow by mail [X] No originals will be sent

DATE: August 5, 2004

TO: Examiner Paul M. Gurzo
 Group Art Unit 2881

FAX #: 1-703-872-9306

PHONE #: 1-571-272-2472

YOUR REF.: 10/614,425

OUR REF.: 3025.05US02

FROM: Jose W. Jimenez, Esq.

PHONE #: (612) 349-5743

Attached for filing please find the following document:

- 1) Amendment Transmittal – 2 pages;
- 2) Amendment – 10 pages; and
- 3) Exhibit A – 2 pages.

Sincerely,

Jose W. Jimenez
 Reg. No. 31,113

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. 1-703-872-9306 on the date shown below thereby constituting filing of same.

Date

8/5/04

Jose W. Jimenez

THIS FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION CONTAINS LEGALLY PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION INTENDED FOR THE PARTY IDENTIFIED ABOVE. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS TRANSMISSION IN ERROR, PLEASE CALL PATTERSON, THUENTE, SKAAR & CHRISTENSEN COLLECT AT (612) 349-5740. DISTRIBUTION, REPRODUCTION OR ANY OTHER USE OF THIS TRANSMISSION BY ANY PARTY OTHER THAN THE INTENDED RECIPIENT IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.

OFFICIALRECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

AUG 05 2004

Customer No. 24113
 Patterson, Thuente, Skaar & Christensen, P.A.
 4800 IDS Center
 80 South 8th Street
 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-2100
 Telephone: (612) 349-5740
 Facsimile: (612) 349-9266

Attorney Docket No. 3025.05US02

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re the application of:

James R. Massie

Confirmation No.: 7727

Application No.: 10/614,425

Examiner: Paul M. Gurzo

Filed: July 7, 2003

Group Art Unit: 2881

For: BALANCED MOMENTUM PROBE HOLDER

Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Enclosed are:

- Amendment (10 pages).
- Petition for Extension of Period for Response.
- Exhibit A – 2 pages.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra (Equals)	Small Entity Rate	Add'l Fee	OR	Large Entity Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	33	- [27]**	=	x 9	\$		x 18	\$108
Indep.	4	- [0]***	=	x 43	\$		x 86	\$0
Mult. Dep.			=	+ 145	\$		+ 290	\$
				TOTAL	\$	OR	TOTAL	\$108

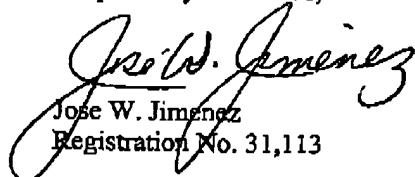
 First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim [MDC]

- * If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

Application No. 10/614,425

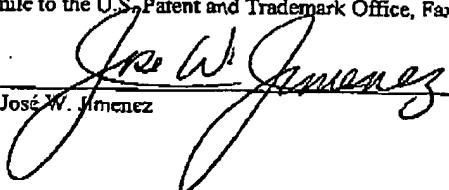
- [] Applicant(s) is/are entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27.
- [X] Please deduct the amount of \$108.00 to cover the additional claims fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.

Respectfully submitted,


Jose W. Jimenez
Registration No. 31,113*Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.*

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. 703-872-9306 on the date shown below.

Date of Deposit
8/5/04_____
José W. Jimenez

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

AUG 05 2004

OFFICIAL

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Attorney Docket No.: 3025.05US02

James R. Massie

Confirmation No.: 7727

Application No.: 10/614,425

Examiner: Paul M. Gurzo

Filed: July 7, 2003

Group Art Unit: 2881

For: BALANCED MOMENTUM PROBE HOLDER

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of May 6, 2004, and in accordance with the automatic extension of time for response provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

The present Amendment and Response comprises the following sections and exhibits:

A. Amendments to the Claims

B. Remarks

Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. 703-872-9306 on the date shown below.

Date of Deposit

8/5/04

Jose W. Jimenez